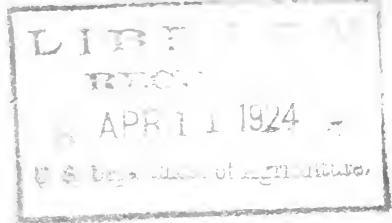


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Catalogue of  
**“DUTCH BULBS”**

CROCUS  
HYACINTHS

NARCISSI  
TULIPS

Our Motto  
“SERVICE”

Imported and Grown By  
**NORTHWEST BULB CO., Inc.**  
BOX 117 - PORTLAND, OREGON  
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## INSTRUCTIONS

At prices herein quoted, we will send all bulbs PREPAID by express or parcel post, to any point in the United States or Canada.

Please furnish complete address.

We will be glad to give special quotations on large orders.

One to five bulbs will be supplied at one-tenth of dozen rate; six or more at dozen rate; fifty or more at hundred rate.

We will not substitute without your permission. It is often advisable, especially late in the season, to name one or two other varieties as substitutes in case we cannot fill your order complete as given.

In case of error or dissatisfaction of any kind please notify us immediately so that we can adjust the same.

**Our Guarantee**—We guarantee our bulbs to be true to name and will gladly replace any that might accidentally prove otherwise. We guarantee that the bulbs will reach you in a first class, growing condition but cannot guarantee that they will grow and thrive as you must readily appreciate the impracticability of so doing with so much dependent upon soil, fertilizer, weather, care and other conditions, **over which we have no control**.

Our stocks this year are mainly of Holland production, although we are supplying a limited quantity of Oregon-grown bulbs, all of which will be so designated. Our aim is to furnish nothing but our own bulbs in the near future, as soon as we can build up our stocks. Nearly all bulbs grow to perfection here in the mild winter and balmy summer climate of the Willamette Valley. As tulips and narcissi are usually harvested beginning June 10 to 15, they can be forwarded any time after mid July, from 6 to 8 weeks earlier than arrival from Holland. Planted earlier they will naturally bloom earlier.

**We cannot guarantee to fill your order after November 1st as we aim to plant all our surplus stocks after that date.**

## HYACINTHS

These are among the most popular and satisfactory bulbs grown. Their wax-like, bell-formed flowers, borne in artistic trusses, are of matchless beauty and wondrous fragrance. Especially fine for pot culture in the house.

	Each	Doz.
<b>Gertrude</b> —Bright pink with deep stripe in center-----	\$.15	\$1.50
<b>King of Blues</b> —Fine deep indigo blue. Late-----	.15	1.60
<b>L'Innocence</b> —Finest pure white variety-----	.20	1.80
<b>Menelik</b> —Deep purple. A decided novelty-----	.15	1.40
<b>Roi des Belges</b> —The brightest hyacinth. Deep red-----	.15	1.50
<b>Rose a Merveille</b> —Finest light pink-----	.15	1.60
<b>Queen of Blues</b> —Light porcelain blue-----	.15	1.50
<b>Yellow Hammer</b> —Golden yellow -----	.15	1.60
<b>Mixed</b> —Includes all of above (medium size)-----	.08	.80
Includes all of above (large size)-----	.12	1.25

**Our fast growing business is founded upon the one word—SERVICE. If for any reason we fail to please you we trust that you will immediately let us hear from you.**

## EARLY SINGLE TULIPS

This type covers a wide range of color and vary in height from 6 to 18 inches. Bloom from mid-March to late April here with us. Especially desirable for beds, pot culture or borders.

	Doz.	100
<b>California Gold</b> —An exquisite yellow variety. Especially fine for cutting due to the length of stem-----	.70	\$4.75
<b>Chrysolera</b> —Clear golden yellow. Extra large flower. A splendid variety for Bedding purposes. Height 12-15 inches-----	.65	4.40
<b>Cottage Maid</b> —Bright pink with white edge and base of petals a rich cream. Fine for bedding. Height, 12 inches-----	.75	5.00
<b>Couleur de Cardinal</b> —Brilliant crimson scarlet with yellow base. Fine large flower on strong stems. Superb for bedding. Good forcer. Height, 13 ins.	.90	6.00
<b>Cramoise Brilliante</b> —Glowing scarlet with yellow base. Large, bold flower, perfect form. Good forcer. Height, 13 inches-----	.65	4.40
<b>Duchess de Parma</b> —Deep orange maroon with irregular deep yellow border. Exceptionally large flower. One of best bedding sorts. Height, 15 ins.	.80	5.35
<b>Dusart</b> —Purplish scarlet with greenish yellow center-----	.65	4.40
<b>Frederick Mocre</b> —Bright orange, shaded scarlet. Fine bedding and forcing variety. Sweet scented. Height, 18 inches-----	.65	4.50
<b>Keizerskroon</b> —Probably the most popular bedding and forcing variety. Scarlet with distinct yellow edge. Height, 16 inches-----	.70	4.75
<b>La Reine</b> —One of the best white sorts. Good forcer. Height, 14 inches-----	.60	4.00
<b>La Remarquable</b> —Deep plum, edged soft rose, striking and beautiful variety either for bedding or forcing. Height, 13 inches-----	.80	5.40
<b>Moliere</b> —An unusual shade of purplish violet-----	.65	4.40
<b>Ophir d'Or</b> —Bright, clear yellow. Fine late bedding sort. Height, 13 inches	.65	4.40
<b>Pink Beauty</b> —One of the finest varieties of recent introduction. Bright rose pink with broad white marking on each petal. Enormous flower of superb shape, carried on strong stems. Height, 13 inches. Very late-----	1.00	6.75
<b>President Lincoln</b> —Large flower of clear, magenta violet. Fine for bedding and forcing. Height, 12 inches-----	.75	5.00
<b>Prince of Austria</b> —Brilliant orange scarlet, yellow base. Sweet scented. Extra fine bedding and forcing variety. Height, 15 inches-----	.80	5.40
<b>Proserpine</b> —Rosy carmine with blueish-white center. An enormous globular flower. Fragrant. Very popular for bedding or forcing. Height, 14 ins.	1.00	6.75
<b>Thomas Moore</b> —Dull, rosy terra cotta shading to orange yellow. Olive green center. Medium sized, fragrant blooms. Good forcer. Height, 15 inches -----	.70	4.75
<b>Vermillion Brilliant</b> —Bright, glittering scarlet, with yellow base; extra fine for forcing or bedding. An old favorite. Height, 12 inches-----	.90	6.00
<b>White Swan</b> —Pure white. Late. Large egg-shaped flowers, gracefully drooping at times. Distinctly popular. Height, 16 inches-----	.80	5.35
<b>Choice Mixture</b> —Containing the above and many other single early varieties	.55	3.60

If we fail to supply you with a copy of our "Spring Catalogue" (issued in January) of Gladioli, Dahlias and Cannas, be sure and send for it. We are one of the most extensive GROWERS of these bulbs in the Northwest.

## LATE SINGLE TULIPS

Often called "Cottage" or "May Flowering." This extremely hardy class of tulips are especially adapted for permanent, hardy flower borders, when planted in clumps. For cutting they are greatly prized, due to their long stems and graceful habits. Among this type will be found some of the most striking flowers of the entire tulip family.

	Doz.	100
<b>Bouton D'Or</b> —Deep, golden yellow with black anthers; medium sized flower. Extra fine for cutting and late forcing. Height, 19 inches-----	\$.70	\$4.75
<b>Caledonia</b> —Bright orange scarlet with yellow center, marked greenish black. Large striking cup-shaped flowers. Height, 20 inches-----	.70	4.75
<b>Ellen Willmott</b> —Canary yellow, globular flowers with slightly reflexed petals on strong stems. Height, 22 inches-----	.80	5.35
<b>Fairy Queen</b> —Soft, rosy lilac, broadly margined amber yellow. Extra large flowers of perfect form. Very striking. Height, 20 inches-----	.75	5.00
<b>Fulgens</b> —Clear crimson with white center; long flower with reflexing petals on stiff, tall stems. Height, 25 inches-----	.75	4.90
<b>Fawn (The)</b> —A gem among late tulips, owing to its dainty color; pale rosy fawn, changing to cream, flushed blush rose. Large egg-shaped flower. Height, 20 inches-----	.80	5.40
<b>Gesneriana Spathulata</b> —Rich crimson scarlet with blue-black base. One of the most popular varieties. Height, 24 inches-----	.80	5.35
<b>Inglescombe Pink</b> —Soft, rosy pink with salmon flush; pale blue base. Large globular flower. Height, 24 inches-----	.75	5.00
<b>Inglescombe Scarlet</b> —Intense vermillion-red with black base; large showy flower on strong stem. Height, 20 inches-----	.75	4.90
<b>Inglescombe Yellow</b> —Glossy canary yellow, large globular flower of perfect form. Called the "Yellow Darwin." Height, 24 inches-----	.75	5.00
<b>La Candeur</b> —Silvery white as the flower ages, soft rose at edge of petals. Medium sized globular flower. Height, 16 inches-----	.80	5.25
<b>La Merveille</b> —Extra large blooms of bright scarlet, suffused apricot orange. Long pointed petals. Height, 20 inches-----	.75	4.90
<b>Macropila</b> —Crimson scarlet with black base, edged yellow, deliciously scented. Height, 18 inches-----	.65	4.50
<b>Norham Beauty</b> —Purplish lilac, edged bronze and yellow with olive center. Very striking variety-----	.70	4.75
<b>Orange King</b> —Glistening deep orange, shaded rose. Sweet scented. Extra large flower. Very striking. Height, 24 ins-----	.70	4.75
<b>Picotee</b> —The most popular late tulip. Creamy white, margined deep rose, the color suffusing the whole flower as it ages. Large flower with reflexed petals. Height, 20 ins-----	.75	4.75
<b>Retroflexa</b> —A very effective light yellow tulip with strongly recurving petals. Fine for cutting. Height, 16 ins-----	.75	4.90
<b>Union Jack</b> —Light violet, feathered purple with a few markings of white. Large flower. Height, 20 ins-----	.80	5.35
<b>Viridiflora</b> —Known as the green tulip. Pale green, edged creamy yellow. Extremely odd. Height, 16 ins-----	.75	5.00
<b>Extra Fine Mixed</b> —Containing many of the best kinds of this popular class of tulips -----	.50	3.35

## DARWIN TULIPS

These are unquestionably one of the finest flowers for cutting as they grow from 20 to 36 inches in height, have sturdy stems and last several days in water. They are likewise fine for the border and several varieties force to perfection.

	Doz.	100
<b>Baron de Tonnaye</b> —Bright rose margined blush rose. Very distinct and extremely fine for bedding. Height, 24 inches-----	\$.85	\$5.60
<b>Clara Butte</b> —Most popular of all Darwins. Soft salmon rose, pink of medium height. Very beautiful. Height, 20 inches-----	.75	5.00
<b>Copeland, William</b> —Extra early lilac rose. Fine for forcing. Height, 24 ins.	.90	6.00
<b>Dream</b> —Violet mauve, silvery lilac suffusion near edge of petals. Height, 30 ins.	.85	5.75
<b>Europe</b> —Glowing salmon scarlet, shaded rose; medium flower on strong stem. Splendid forcer-----	.90	6.00
<b>Faust</b> —Dark, satiny purple, blue base; extra large flower, fine form. Ht., 30 ins.	1.00	6.75
<b>Feu Brilliant</b> —The most glorious scarlet tulip. Large and beautiful shaped flower. Very early. Extremely fine. Height, 28 ins-----	1.00	7.00
<b>George Mau</b> —Deep carmine rose, edged pale rose, with white base, marked blue. Beautiful shaped bloom. Height, 26 ins-----	.80	5.50
<b>Harry Ve'tch</b> —Rich blood red, with black base, edged white. Very brilliant in the sunlight. Height, 22 ins-----	.85	5.75
<b>Kate Greenway</b> —White, slightly flushed lilac rose, perfect shaped flower of medium size. Very late. Height, 24 ins-----	.85	5.60
<b>King Harold</b> —Deep purple-red with white base, a beautiful garden variety of lasting qualities. Good forcer. Height, 24 ins-----	.90	6.15
<b>La Candeur</b> —Lovely soft white, slightly tinged, anthers black; fine, erect globular flower. Best of its color. Height, 24 ins-----	.80	5.40
<b>La Tulip Noire</b> —Choice novelty. Deep garnet maroon, nearly black. Exquisitely scented. Fine forcer. Height, 25 ins-----	.90	6.00
<b>Loveliness</b> —Soft, carmine rose, very warm and brilliant color. A beautiful tulip for outdoor culture. Height, 21 ins-----	.75	5.00
<b>Madame Krelage</b> —Bright lilac rose, margined pale silvery rose, inside rose pink. Large flower. Good forcer. Height, 24 ins-----	.90	6.00
<b>Maiden's Blush</b> —Very dainty soft rosy pink. Height, 21 ins-----	.85	5.65
<b>Mr. Farncombe Sanders</b> —Fiery rose scarlet, inside vivid cherry-scarlet with white center marked blue, large flowers of perfect shape. One of the finest reds. Splendid forcer. Height, 25 ins-----	1.00	6.50
<b>Mrs. Potter Palmer</b> —Bright, purplish violet of very striking appearance-----	.80	5.35
<b>Pride of Harlem</b> —Brilliant rosy carmine with blue base. An extra large flower of superb form and beauty. Best for borders, sure forcer. Height, 32 ins.	.80	5.40
<b>Prof. Rauwenhoff</b> —Full cherry rose with salmon glow inside. Enormous flower on strong stems. Fine for forcing. Height, 28 ins-----	1.00	6.50
<b>Psyche</b> —Rich, rosy pink, inside shaded silvery rose with pale blue base. Very delicate shade. Fine forcer. Height, 28 ins-----	.85	5.60
<b>Rev. Ewbank</b> —Vivid heliotrope-lilac, lighter at margin, darkening toward base. Magnificent flower. Especially good forcer. Height, 20 ins-----	.75	5.25
<b>Salmon King</b> —Rich, deep salmon-rose, shaded scarlet-----	.80	5.35
<b>Sieraad van Flora</b> —Bright red with blue base, magnificent flower of very striking and distinct color. Fine forcer-----	.85	5.75
<b>Yellow Darwin</b> —(See Inglescombe Yellow)-----	.75	5.00
<b>Mixed Darwins</b> —Containing all the best varieties-----	.60	4.00

If you failed to get our leaflet—"Instructions for Growing Dutch Bulbs"—let us send you one, Free.

## EARLY DOUBLE TULIPS

	Doz.	100
<b>Mr. Van der Hoef</b> —The pure yellow Murillo. Fine novelty-----	\$.85	\$5.75
<b>Murillo</b> —Delicate rose pink. Extra fine forcing variety-----	.65	4.40
<b>Peach Blossom</b> —Brilliant rosy pink. Sport from Murillo-----	1.00	6.75
<b>Rubra Maxima</b> —Large vermillion scarlet. Fine bedder and forcer-----	.70	4.75
<b>Tea Rose</b> —Primrose with pale rose flush. Large flowers-----	.75	5.00
<b>Titian</b> —Scarlet, edged yellow. Excellent for forcing-----	.70	4.75
<b>Turban Violet</b> —Beautiful shade of violet. Good forcer-----	.80	5.25

## LATE DOUBLE TULIPS

<b>Blue Flag</b> —Soft violet purple. Fine for bedding and cutting-----	.85	5.75
<b>Carmen Sylva</b> —White bordered dark rose-----	.75	5.00
<b>Yellow Rose</b> —Beautiful deep butter yellow-----	.70	4.75

## CROCUS

Nothing is quite so charming as a generous quantity of these remarkable flowers blooming in the lawn or border during the early weeks of Spring. They are also good for pot culture.

	Doz.	100
<b>Blue and Purple</b> —Mixed shades of-----	\$.30	\$1.90
<b>Striped</b> —Various shades with center stripe-----	.30	1.90
<b>White</b> —Mixed shades of-----	.30	1.90
<b>Yellow</b> —Extra large (Mammoth) variety-----	.50	3.00
<b>Mixed</b> —All colors and sizes-----	.30	1.75

## NARCISSI

### Daffodils

	Doz.	100
<b>Emperor</b> —One of the finest and most popular daffodils. Enormous flowers with deep golden trumpet and primrose perianth. Fine for pot culture.		
Large double nosed bulbs-----	1.35	9.50
<b>Empress</b> —A fitting mate to Emperor in color. Snow white perianth, rich yellow trumpet. Double nosed bulbs-----	1.30	9.25
<b>Glory of Leiden</b> —Large bold yellow trumpet with perianth somewhat lighter, broad and overlapping. Sturdy foliage-----	1.20	8.50
<b>Golden Spur</b> —Extra early, large, bold, rich golden yellow flowers; foliage broad. Most popular variety for forcing and naturalizing in grass and the border. Large double nosed bulbs-----	1.50	11.50
<b>King Alfred</b> —The aristocrat among daffodils. Rich golden yellow flowers of enormous size. Height, 24 inches. Especially recommended. Extra large mother bulbs-----	3.00	22.00
<b>Mad. de Graff</b> —Opens with soft primrose trumpet passing to white, forces well and is exceptionally fine for naturalizing in grass. Large mother bulbs-----	\$1.25	\$ 9.00
<b>Victoria</b> —Trumpet clear yellow, very large, perianth creamy white. Bold erect flower. Height, 18 ins. Double nosed bulbs-----	1.50	11.50
	(Barrii Type)	
Short cupped Daffodil, cup measuring less than one-third the length of perianth segments.		
<b>Albatross</b> —A large, handsome flower, perianth white, cup pale yellow, frilled, edged orange red. Height, 18 ins-----	.85	5.75
<b>Blood Orange</b> —Pale sulphur overlapping perianth; cup of orange red, fluted at edge. Very choice-----	.85	5.75

## NARCISSI (Cont'd)

	Doz.	100
<b>Conspicuous</b> —Large soft yellow perianth, short cup edged orange scarlet. Very free flowering. Large mother bulbs-----	.90	6.00
<b>Firebrand</b> —Creamy white perianth with soft lemon shading at base of brilliant scarlet cup. Height, 16 ins-----	1.00	6.65
<b>Seagull</b> —Pure white perianth with canary yellow cup, edged apricot. Fine for pots and bowls. Height, 20 ins-----	1.00	6.75

### (Incomparabilis Type)

Large chalice cupped daffodils with cup or crown measuring one-third to nearly the length of perianth.		
<b>Homespun</b> —Perfectly shaped flower of soft primrose yellow. Exceedingly beautiful-----	1.50	10.00
<b>Lucifer</b> —Large white perianth, with fiery orange red cup. Strong grower and free bloomer. Height, 18 ins-----	.75	5.00
<b>Sir Watkin</b> —The giant Welsh Daffodil. Wide sulphur perianth, with deep yellow cup. Height, 22 inches. One of the finest varieties for pots, beds, borders or for naturalizing-----	1.00	6.75
<b>Torch</b> —Large, twisted, yellow perianth; bright orange red crown. Extra fine novelty-----	1.25	8.35

### (Leedsii Type)

The fragrant star narcissi with large chalice cup.

<b>Evangeline</b> —Pure white perianth and lemon yellow cup. Extra large and striking flowers-----	\$.85	\$5.75
<b>Gem</b> —Most popular pure white variety-----	.65	4.50
<b>Mrs. Langtry</b> —Very fine flowering with broad white perianth and large white cup, edged bright yellow-----	.70	4.75

### (Poeticus Type)

These have snowy white petals and a small flattened crown, yellow or lemon edged with scarlet. Very fragrant.		
<b>Glory of Lisse</b> —Very much superior to the well-known Poeticus in shape, substance and color-----	1.00	6.65
<b>Ornatus</b> —Pure white perianth. Yellow cup margined scarlet. Large double nosed bulbs-----	.90	6.00
<b>Pheasants Eye</b> —Reflexed white perianth, eye edged orange scarlet. Extremely fragrant. Fine for cutting-----	.75	5.00
<b>Double</b> —Large, double, snowy white sweet scented Gardenia-like blossoms. Extra fine for cutting. Late-----	.65	4.50

### (Poetaz Type)

These are hardy hybrids between "Polyanthus" and "Poeticus," very vigorous, bearing profusely clusters of very fragrant flowers.		
<b>Elvira</b> —Long, graceful stems, bearing 3 or 4 flowers with broad white petals and a golden yellow cup edged orange-----	.90	6.00
<b>Irene</b> —Perianth or petals sulphur yellow, changing to light yellow, one of the finest and deepest yellow-----	1.00	6.75

### Jonquils

A small flowering type of Narcissi which are highly prized for their extreme fragrance and graceful golden blossoms. Rush-like foliage. Fine for forcing.		
<b>Single</b> —Rich buttery yellow. Most fragrant-----	.70	4.75
<b>Odorus Camp. Plenus</b> —Bears large clusters of double yellow flowers of elegant form on extra long stems-----	.80	5.50

## VISITORS WELCOME

We will esteem it a pleasure to show you over our grounds, without obligating you in the least. During March, April and May of the coming year we will have many thousands of tulips, narcissi, hyacinths, crocus and other bulbs in bloom, including some wonderfully fine recent creations of Holland's best growers. Drive out Union Avenue to Columbia Blvd., thence west one-half mile. Our grounds are adjacent to the Columbia Tire Corporation's plant.

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